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Bayer 6708.5-Reissue**REMARKS*****Amendment to the Claims***

No amendment has been made to the claims. Claims 1, 7 and 8 are still pending.

***Response to Holding of Defective Original Reissue Oath/Declaration***

The applicants are willing to file a corrected oath/declaration for this application. However, given the changes made to the claim language in the other related applications (especially 08/254,202), the applicants request comments as to the status of the amendments in the other applications which also include SN: 10/067,192; 10/067,191; and 10/067,190) (i.e. the text of the revised declaration will be dependent upon which claims and the scope thereof which is deemed to be under consideration by the Examiner.)

***Closing***

Applicants also believe that this application is in condition for allowance. However, should any issue(s) of a minor nature remain, the Examiner is respectfully requested to telephone the undersigned at telephone number (212) 808-0700 so that the issue(s) might be promptly resolved.

Respectfully submitted,

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